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1. Camps for resettlers in Lower Pomerania served nearly exclusively in September 1946 as quarantine camps. After spending two weeks in these camps, the settlers are being distributed within the district. The settlers come mostly from the Border Regions of Czechoslovakia, they are mostly Catholics, hence it will be difficult to assimilate them in a purely Protestant province. The settlers brought much luggage, and aside from their clothing, bedding and apprrovisions, also their tools. They are of good health. Everything points to the fact that the deportations from Czechoslovakia proceed in a much more humane form than the ones from the areas under Polish Administrations.

2. The following camps are in existence:

| Diocese | Name of Camp | Capacity |
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| Altentreptow | Soltau | 1200 |
| Anklam | Roupe in Anklam | 500 |
| " | Kriegsschule Anklam | 1300 |
| Barth | Barth Holz | 600 |
| Demmin | Demmin Oatkaserne | 2500 |
| " | Demmin Dovener Holz | 200 |
| Greifswald Stadt | Au den Wurthen | 240 |
| " | Loessschule | 420 |
| Grimmen | Grimmen | 1200 |
| " | Vorland, Grimen | 50 |
| " | Tribsees | 600 |
| Pasewalk | Pasewalk | 12-1800 |
| Penkum | Löcknitz Kamp | 1300 |
| Wolgast | Buddenhagen | 1200 |

The camps, mostly former labor camps and camps for foreigners, are, with few exceptions, in a satisfactory condition. The hardships start only after the settlers leave the camp. According to local authorities, towns and rural districts in lower Pomerania are overpopulated, and housing conditions appalling. Several mayors, for example those from the Anklam region have put down in writing, that they can not accept any new settlers in their communities.

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